

1 51. (Hereby Canceled)

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1 2852. (Amended) A database system for computer aided dispatching
2 comprising:
3 mobile position information, including position data about a plurality of mobile
4 units;
5 vector information, including intelligent data about a selected segment of
6 interest;
7 a computer operably coupled to access the mobile position and vector
8 information, configured to provide interrelated position data regarding at least one of the
9 plurality of mobile units;
10 a fleet management system operably coupled to the computer, configured to
11 operate a fleet of the plurality of mobile units; and
12 **[The database system of claim 43 further including]** order data from
13 customers, the order data having a portion being transferred from a data acquisition device
14 coupled to a radio in one of the plurality of mobile units.

1 53. (Hereby Canceled)

REMARKS

Claims 21-42, 46-50, and 52 are pending in this application. Claims 46, 48, and 52 have been amended. Claims 43-45, 51, and 53 have been canceled. No new matter is believed to have been introduced thereby.

Claims 43-45 and 51 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. §102(b) as being anticipated by Wortham (U.S. Patent No. 5,155,689). Claim 53 was rejected under 35 U.S.C. §103(a) as being unpatentable over Wortham in view of Simms et al. (U.S. Patent No. 5,334,974). In response, claims 43-45, 51, and 53 have been canceled without prejudice.

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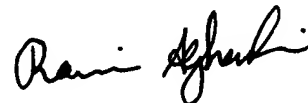
Claims 43-53 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. §112, second paragraph, as being indefinite. Claims 46, 48, and 52 have been amended to incorporate the language from their parent canceled claim 43. To overcome the rejection under 35 U.S.C. §112, second paragraph, the language added to claims 46, 48, and 52 has been changed to recite "a selected segment of interest" instead of "a second selected segment of interest."

Claims 21-53 were rejected under the judicially created doctrine of obviousness-type double patenting as being unpatentable over at least claims 6 and 19 of your U.S. Patent No. 5,428,546. Claims 21-53 were rejected further as being unpatentable over at least claims 1 and 13 of your U.S. Patent No. 5,636,122 and at least claim 1 of your U.S. Patent No. 5,594,650. In response, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.321, Applicants hereby submit a Terminal Disclaimer and Certificate Under 37 C.F.R. §3.73(b), to overcome these rejections.

In view of the foregoing, Applicants believe all claims now pending in this Application are in condition for allowance. The issuance of a formal Notice of Allowance at an early date is respectfully requested.

If the Examiner believes a telephone conference would expedite prosecution of this application, please telephone the undersigned at (650) 326-2400.

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